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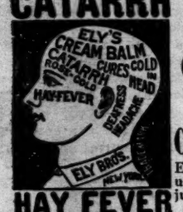

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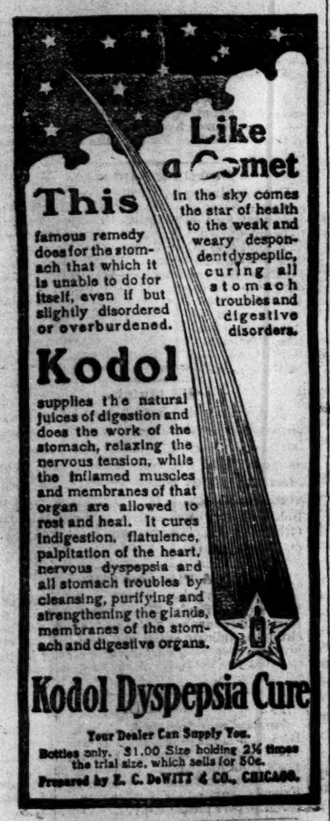
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Canonized By Pius X.

In the presence of 60,000 persons assembled in St. Peter's, in Rome, yesterday morning, Pope Pius X cannonized Blessed Alessandre Sauli and Blessed Gerardo Maiella, descendants of whom, including Marquises Ambrozio, Sauli and Negrotto, assisted in the canonizations.

The ceremony is so rare in recent times that this is only the second one held since 1870.

The Basilica was beautiful with electric lights, its immense height showing the illuminations to perfection. The throne had been erected behind the high altar and chair of St. Peter, having a device of rays of gold with a picture of the Trinity in the center. Altogether the throne took up a space 90 by 70 feet. Four banners hung under the dome, showing the chief miracles of the new saints.

The papal procession met in the Sistine Chapel, entering the Basilica by the Chapel of the Holy Sacrament. The Pope, in full pontifical costume, was carried in the Sedia Gestatoria, with its historic fans. His handsome figure and head showed thus to best advantage. When he entered the church it was impossible for the authorities to repress entirely an outburst of loyalty from the multitude, which cried, "Long live Pope Pius!"

The scene was such as to evoke the devotion of the beholder, everything having been done to heighten the effect and the central figure in the ceremonial presenting a picture never to be forgotten. He was preceded, surrounded and followed by guards of the court and high prelates. The Pontif looked less robust than a year ago, as if the triple crown were bearing heavily upon him. Cardinals, archbishops and bishops formed a square about him as he was escorted to the throne.

The ceremony that followed was interesting in the extreme. Pius X pontificated, preserving a calm, reverential air to the end, although, as he confessed later, he was greatly fatigued. After the ceremony the procession was formed again amid murmurs of love and loyalty.

All the American prelates now in Rome who assisted at the beatification on Thursday of the saints canonized yesterday were present, as was also the faculty of the American College at Rome.

How Horse Did Sums.

Dr. Carl Stumpf, professor of psychology at the University of Berlin, and two colleagues, Dr. C. von Hornbostel and Dr. O. Pfungst, have ended months of experiments with von Osten's horse Hans. They find that the secret of the animal's replies in his powers of observation, which enable him to perceive why he looks at his questioner the instant he has reached a correct answer. Thus they found the horse was able to tap out a correct answer to a question when the person putting it did not know the answer, for example, "How many persons are in the group behind me?" the questioner not looking himself did not know the number and Hans was able to give a correct reply, nor was he unable when wearing blinders to calculate or perform the simplest count. Stumpf does not doubt the good faith of von Osten, but he concluded that the horse's long training has taught him to detect the eyesight changes in the bearing of his questioner as he reached the right number of hoof beats in spelling or in using the counting apparatus. This sharpness of observation in itself is most remarkable, as the horse notes movements or changes in expedition invisible to others and of which the questioner is unconscious.

"Devil" in Kilts.

"Sorto," or "the devil," was the name conferred by the natives of Terra del Fuego upon John Farquhar Macrae, who has just returned to Great Britain after an absence of twenty-two years in South America.

Mr. Macrae, who left his native town of Kintail, Scotland, a poor youth, is now an immensely rich man. On his arrival at Liverpool he was attired in kilts, and one of his companions played the pipes as he walked up the ship's gangway.

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"DeWitt's is the only genuine Witch Hazel Salve," writes J. L. Tucker, of Centre, Ala. "I have used it in my family for Piles, Cuts and Burns for years and can recommend it as be the best Salve on the market. Every family should keep it, as it is an invaluable household remedy, and should always be kept on hand for immediate use." Mrs. Samuel Gage, of North Bush, N. Y., says: "I had a fever sore on my ankle for twelve years that the doctors could not cure. All salves and blood remedies proved worthless, I could not walk for two years. Finally I was persuaded to try DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, which has completely cured me. It is a wonderful relief." DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures without leaving a scar. Sold by all druggists.

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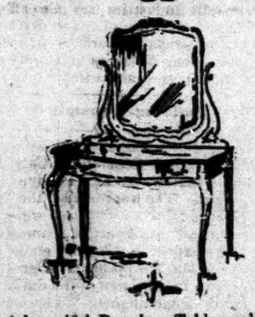

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SIC SEMPER TYRANNIS

MONDAY EVENING, DEC. 12, 1904.

A COLORED PREACHER in New Jersey announced to his congregation yesterday that he intended to visit the South for the purpose of making a crusade against the laws of someStates which compel the races to occupy separate cars. There is every reason to believe that should he carry out his purpose he will aid materially in perpetuating the laws. There are many colored people who know how to conduct themselves wherever they go, and the race of the same could be no need of Jim unfortunately a large the colored race are not inclined to be disorderly on trains or boats when they find themselves in the majority. Such individuals are responsible for the laws against which the preacher protests. People who arrived here on one of the electric trains Saturday night told of the disorderly procedure of some negroes who boarded the train in Washington and left it at Addison Heights. Their conduct was of such a nature that quiet passengers became alarmed and some white ladies were on the verge of fainting. The negroes paid no attention to the train crew nor to white people who attempted to quiet them. Such scenes are said to be common on Saturday nights. There was also trouble on an electric train from Mount Vernon Saturday night in which a white and a colored man figured.

MANY SOUTHERN papers, including some in Virginia, are engaged in a tirade of abuse of Governor Vardaman, of Mississippi, because he took advantage of an opportunity to sarcastically criticise Mr. Roosevelt, who, the Governor said, "had seen fit to malign Jefferson Davis, the greatest man Mississippi ever produced, and with brutal discourtesy refused to correct a falsehood written about him after Mrs. Davis had called his attention to it." But those Southern papers were answered by Governor Vardaman, even before some of them made their attack upon him, when he said:

I cannot refrain from noticing in this connection a rapidly growing tendency with our people, which I fear may soon become a characteristic, and which to me is more to be deplored than the boll weevil or any other enemy to our material interest. I discuss the disposition to surrender the imperial right of a free-born white American citizen to express his honest thoughts—the disposition to barter their manhood and sell their independence for a mess of pottage of material prosperity or political place.

ANDREW D. WHITE, formerly Ambassador to Germany, in the course of an address made in New York Saturday on "Evolution vs. Revolution in Politics" before the League for Political Education declared that high crime is more frequent in this country than anywhere else in the world save Sicily, and that there is a widespread superstition here that it is the duty of the people to protect criminals. "Crime is crime," said Mr. White, "and it is our duty to make its prosecution more speedy and less intricate. We should stand together to exterminate criminals." Present American business methods, Mr. White declared, are leading to catastrophies and filling lunatic asylums and poor houses. He predicted that if better methods are not developed Anglo-Saxons will die out and be succeeded by a cruder race of tougher fibre. And what Mr. White said is as true as preaching, but neither his advice nor his predictions will be heeded.

BECAUSE HIS WIFE threatened to put croton oil and red pepper in his whisky and otherwise abused him, former Sheriff William Walters, of Wilkesbarre Pa., was on Saturday recommended for a divorce from his wife by the master who took the testimony in the case. Walters declares that his life was made miserable, that his wife struck him with a stove raker, threw a milk pail at him, bit him on the thumb and cheek, slapped his face with a knife blade, threw a shoe at him and broke his nose. She also, he declares, called his eldest son "a Jersey skunk," his daughter "a dirty little rat," his son Charles "long legs." All of this he stood but he properly drew the line at mixing red pepper and croton oil with his whisky. Many men would have balked at the milk pail. She is his second wife, and they were married at Wilmington, Del., in 1900.

MR. BARNUM'S theory, that the American people like to be humbugged, has developed into a fact, and the republican leaders presume upon it. One of their reasons for a postponement of the revision of the tariff is that Senator Aldrich intends going to Europe this spring and nothing must be done with the tariff till he returns! And those who know Mr. Aldrich best say he seldom leads, but follows. Still, if this were not so, the very idea of the business of a nation of eighty million people being held up while one Senator takes a pleasure trip is a bow shot beyond humbuggery.

REV. ANTHONY BILKOVSKY, pastor of a Baltimore Universalist Church, has discovered a "New Purgatory," which he says is not, like the Old Sheol, a dim, shadowy existence, in an underworld, where everything in this life is in a weakened, diluted, diminished state. He asserts that the mighty men who built up and adorn earth's civilizations will find adequate scope and employment. There is nothing new in the reverend gentleman's theory, although others who have advanced the idea have used a different name for the other world.

ADJUTANT GENERAL DONOVAN, of Montana, began proceedings in the Supreme Court of that State Tuesday against the International Harvester Company, on the ground that it violates the State anti-trust laws. A temporary restraining order was issued to prevent this company from doing business in Montana. It is to be hoped that the Adjutant General of Montana will meet with better success in his fight against the trust than has the Attorney General of the United States.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 12.

Business in Panama is booming, according to a report received at the State Department from U. S. Vice Consul General Ehrman who is located in the capital city of the new republic. Much of the trade naturally is absorbed by the United States, though Paris gets practically all the pearls which are found by the fishermen, all London and European cities most of the mother-of-pearl shell, which forms an important item of trade. Gold, silver and manganese are mined in large quantities in Panama and there is a growing trade in hard woods, rubber, ivory-nuts, ipecac, sarsaparilla and balsam. American shoes for men are increasing in sales, but the trade in women's shoes is still held by foreign houses. American women's shoes, it is said, are too low in the instep to suit the Spanish women. The new currency will soon be in use throughout the republic, Mr. Ehrman says. Specimens of the new coins have already been received. The monetary unit is the gold "balboa" which will not be coined. It corresponds in value to our gold dollar. One half of one balboa is equal to one "peso," which is the largest coin to be minted.

Senator Cullom, of Illinois, who has had experience in connection with a former attempt to enlarge the powers of the Interstate Commerce Commission, is very dubious about the President's ability to force any legislation of the kind through the present session of Congress. "I am in favor of the plan," said Senator Cullum this morning, "for it is almost identical with the bill that I tried to have passed several years ago when I was chairman of the committee on Interstate commerce. I could not do anything with it then, failed to even get it reported by my own committee in fact, and was forced to give it up as a bad job. The President may possibly get it through this session, but I doubt it very seriously indeed. If it passes the House, it is almost certain to fail in the Senate." Most of the Senators who are interviewed on the subject are inclined to be reticent. "I don't care to talk about it just now," said Senator Alger, of Michigan. "Why? Well, you know if a man gives his views on a certain important subject in advance and afterwards changes his mind, he looks like a five cent piece. I may want to change my mind later."

"Kansas knows when she is licked, and has given up all hope of getting either the Pension Commissionership or the Assistant Secretaryship of Agriculture," said Representative Curtis, who called at the White House with Senator Long to press the claims of constituents. "We had so many candidates that we could not agree on any one," said Mr. Curtis, "and that probably weakened our chances."

Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan called at the White House last night and had a short conference with the President and later left for New York.

In the House today Mr. Rixey introduced the following: A bill for the relief of the trustees of Grove Baptist Church, of Fauquier county, Va., asking $1,000 for the use and destruction of church property; a bill granting an increase of pension to Chas. H. Pratt, of Remington, Fauquier county, Va., asking for $30 per month, with affidavits to accompany same; a bill asking an increase of penson to Henry C. Steadman, of Taylorstown, Loudoun county, Va., to $75 per month with affidavits to accompany same, and a bill for the relief of the trustees of the Presbyterian Church at Marshall, Fauquier county, Va., asking for the payment of $300 for damages and destruction of church property by Union troops during the war between the States.

Messrs. Hale, Lodge, Allison and Spooner, who was seen in earnest conversation on the floor of the Senate today which gave rise to the report that something republican might be doing at an early day.

Senator Smoot was early at the room of the Senate committee on privileges and elections this morning and seemed cheerful. The attendance was all that the capacity of the room permits, ninety per cent. of the audience being women. Rev. Dr. J. M. Buckley, of Morristown, N. J., was the first witness. He declared that he had no knowledge of Senator Smoot save from common report. He said: "I asked everybody what kind of man Smoot was? Was he a polygamist? Not only in Utah, but in California, and I must say that every answer was that he was a good man, that he had never lived with any woman than his wife." George Reynolds, of Salt Lake, a Mormon since 1865, and secretary of the Mormon Church, was the next witness. He revealed the fact that a man who lived happily with twenty wives might also death be separated from them, and upon their death find himself eternally separated from them.

Secretary of State Hay and Ambassador Durand this morning formally signed the arbitration treaty between Great Britain and the United States which was recently negotiated.

Mr. Rixey said to a reporter of the Gazette today that if a river and harbor bill was presented in the House this session he would look after the item concerning the widening and deepening of the channel of the Potomac river. Senator Marton will look after the matter should it reach the Senate.

Paul D. Connor, a veteran telegraph man, for many years employed by the Western Union Telegraph Company, died suddenly here today. He was one of the linemen who built for Prof. Morse the first telegraph line ever constructed—between Washington and Baltimore. Mr. Connor was more than 80 years of age, and retired from active pursuits some years ago.

The House committee on the judiciary is now unanimously in favor of the impeachment of Judge Swayne, of the Florida district. A report to the effect was submitted to the House today. The House will take up the case tomorrow. It is the understanding now that the resolution to recommend impeachment will be adopted with but little debate. A committee will then be appointed to notify the Senate. Managers will be named on the part of House, to conduct the proceedings before the Senate. Those managers will draw up articles of impeachment on which the House must vote. These articles then go to the Senate, which orders process against Judge Swayne and fixes a day for trial, which is managed on behalf of the House by the members appointed for that purpose.

The Supreme Court of the United States today decided against the Western Union Telegraph Company in its case against the Pennsylvania Railroad Company on account of the latter's tearing down Western Union poles and wires along the railroad's right of way upon the termination of its contract in 1902.

The annual report of the Geological Survey, out today, contains 388 pages of interesting matter dealing with the rocks, metals and waters of the country. During the year 1903, according to this review, the world's production of iron ore amounted to 100,900,000 tons of which the United States claims 35,019,308 tons. The world's production of coal and lignite amounted to 870,498,000 tons of which 319,068,229 belonged to this country. The world produced during the same period 35,510,000 tons of steel of which the United States contributed 14,584,978, thus proving that the United States leads the world in all these important resources.

Among the nominations that went to the Senate today was that of Charles P. Neill, of the District of Columbia, to be Commissioner of Labor, and that of Melvin O. Adams, of Massachusetts, to be United States Attorney for the district of Massachusetts.

President Roosevelt received a formal invitation this morning to visit Montgomery, Ala. Representative Wiley headed the delegation of citizens who presented the invitation and told the President that he would probably receive more of the same kind from other towns in the State. President Roosevelt told the Alabamans that he would be with them if possible but that as yet his itinerary for the southern trip has not yet been decided upon.

Senator T. C. Platt, of New York, denied emphatically today the report that he considered resigning his seat.

Willett M. Hays, of Minnesota, was today appointed Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, vice the late J. H. Brigham, of Ohio.

Representatives Rodenberg, of Ills.; Howell, of Utah; Bartlett, of Georgia, and Maynard, of Virginia, were today designated by Representative Tawney, chairman of the House committee on industrial arts and expositions, to serve with him as a committee to formulate a suitable plan for a celebration at Jamestown, Va., in 1907, commemorative of the establishment of the first English-speaking colony in America.

There was an indirect reference in the House today to the wonderful borrowing proclivities of Mrs. Chadwick when Mr. Bartlett introduced a bill making it unlawful for any National bank to loan more than ten per cent of its capital stock by either direct notes or by accommodation notes.

Mr. Edgar Warfield, of Alexandria, was at the Capitol today to secure speakers for the occasion of the celebration of Gen. Lee's birthday by Lee Camp at that city on January 19th next.

Virginia News.

Rev. C. B. Bryan, pastor of old St. John's Episcopal Church, Hampton, has resigned his pastorate, to accept a call to Grace Episcopal Church, Petersburg.

Brook Lovett, son of Charles Lovett, of near Round Hill, Loudoun county, died at the home of his father from typhoid fever on Wednesday night, aged twenty years.

Fire in the lumber district of Portsmouth at 2 o'clock yesterday morning wiped out the plant of the Robinson Lumber Company, entailing a loss of upward of $50,000.

The fine estate, "Snowden," near Fredericksburg, owned by Mr. Dorr Clark, has been purchased by Mr. Frank B. Guest, of New York, who will take possession of the property January 1st, to make it his home.

The engagement of Miss Janie Leigh Osborne, granddaughter of Mrs. Jane Pancoast, of Leesburg, to Mr. Thomas Swann Whipple, of Newport, R. I., is announced. The marrriage will take place this month.

Mrs. W. C. Scott, wife of Maj. William C. Scott, of Gordonsville, died Thursday aged 72 years. Mrs. Scott was formerly Miss Pamelia Graves, of Orange, and was married 55 years ago to Major Scott, who survives him.

A great quantity of early spinach has been shipped north from the Norfolk section recently, but it has brought such poor prices that the farmers are said to have made very little if anything on it. As high as 5,000 barrels a day have gone forward from the Norfolk section lately.

Early yesterday morning the body of John H. Poole, grocer, was found lying alongside of the Southern Railway track, about two miles south of Lynchburg. In his pocket was found a note intimating that he intended to commit suicide on account of domestic infelicity. It is supposed he was struck by a train.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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DEMONSTRATION IN ST. PETERSBURG.

Every newspaper in St. Petersburg yesterday contained a large advertisement signed by the head of the police warning the people that disturbances were likely and that it was best to keep off the streets.

Yesterday afternoon there was an anti-war demonstration by the same students who clamored so loudly for war ten months ago. The demonstration resulted in a number of broken heads and many arrests, but probably has no real political effect.

The newspaper warning, by giving notice to those not apprised of the prospects of a demonstration, defeated the very object for which they were designed, attracting, seemingly, the whole population of St. Petersburg to the broad thoroughfare, and long before the hour fixed, despite the pleading of the police, who literally lined the sidewalks, the throngs on the pavement were so dense that movement was almost impossible, while the snow-covered boulevard was black with a tangled mass of sleighs filled mostly with the curious.

On the sidewalks were practically the whole student body of the capital, including many young women, who have always been prominent in Russia in liberal revolutionary movements, and also thousands of workingmen belonging to the social democratic labor party.

Toward 1 o'clock the workingmen and students seemed to swarm toward the corner of the Hotel Europa, opposite the Cathedral. The police, recognizing that the critical moment was approaching, tried in vain to keep back the human tide.

Then, when there was not a single mounted policeman in sight, on the stroke of one, from the heart of the thickley wedged crowd a blood-red flag, like a jet of flame, suddenly shot up. It was the signal. Other flags appeared in the crowd, waved frantically overhead, and they were greeted with a hoarse roar. "Down with autocracy!" The students surged into the street singing the "Marseillaise," while innocent spectators, seeking to extricate themselves, crowded into doorways and hugged walls. Dismounted police tried to force their way into the crowd to wrest the flags from the demonstrators, but the students and workmen, armed with sticks, stood close and beat back their assailants.

Then, like a flash, from behind the Kazan Cathedral came a squadron of gendarmerie. The doors of adjoining courtyards were thrown back and battalions of police came out. A double squadron charged the flank of the demonstrators with drawn sabers. Five other squadrons circled the mob, cutting through the fringe of spectators, who gladly scurried to cover.

The main wedge of the demonstrators stood fast only a moment or two. There was a sharp rattle of cudgels and sabers, though the wounds showed that the police struck principally with the flats of their sabers.

The women were especially fierce in their resistance. Many were struck and trampled, and blood streamed down their faces.

While the mob stood those within managed to throw hundreds of revolutionary proclamations over the heads of their fellows. The police urged their horses fiercely into the crowd, driving those who resisted into the courtyard, the Hotel Europa and the church.

The intense excitement lasted about ten minutes, after which mounted squads of the gendarmerie patrolled the streets and the policemen devoted themselves to keeping the crowd moving.

According to information received in St. Petersburg, the anta-war feeling and hostility to autocracy is not confined to that city, but is spreading in other sections of the Russian empire.

THE EASTERN WAR.

In addition to the terrible sacrifice of life on land in the recent operations at Port Arthur, the Japanese cruiser Salyen, while co-operating with the army, struck a Russian mine and sank on November 30. Captain Tijima and 38 men went down with the ship. Fifteen officers and 175 men were rescued by a Japanese gunboat.

The second division of the Russian second Pacific squadron, commanded by Rear Admiral Voelkersam, has sailed from Jibutil, French Somaliland, for the Island of Madagascar.

Congressman Bartholdt, of Missouri, president of the Interparliamentary Union, has brought to the attention of Secretary Hay the resolution adopted by the union at St. Louis urging the powers which signed The Hague treaty to intervene to stop the war Secretary Hay promised to call the attention of President Roosevelt to the action of the union.

The Japanese continue to batter the Port Arthur fleet, and there is little ground for expecting that it will ever again engage Admiral Togo.

The battleship Sevastopol continues at anchor outside, but possibly returns to the harbor at nights and anchors inside the outer boom, which protects her from torpedo boats. The recent heavy weather has given added protection to the vessel.

Naval experts are discarding the theory that the Russians sank any of their ships. The fact that the vessels first showed lists while in exposed positions and the efforts made to save the Sevastopol are regarded as conclusive evidence against the theory of their being sunk by the Russians. Most of the sunken warships lie headed northward. They received the bulk of the fire across their port sides, and the fact that at least two of them showed lists to starboard give rise to the theory that Japanese shells exploded inside the ships and against the starboard armor, driving the armor outward and causing leaks.

To make sure of the destruction of the Russian warships the Japanese continue to drop shells into the sunken hulks.

The whereabouts of the torpedo-boat destroyers continues doubtful, but it is thought they are sheltered outside the harbor. The weather prevents good observations being made, but the Japanese are sending a searching fire into nooks which are not observable from 203-Meter Hill and other heights.

Observers report a number of tugs, launches, dredges and small craft anchored near the hospital ships in the west harbor, where they evidently have gone for the purpose of obtaining protection. It is suggested that the besiegers notify General Stoessel to separate these vessels from the hospital ships or take the consequences. The Japanese are exercising care to avoid hitting the hospital ships, which are frequently in the direct line of fire.

Today's Telegraphic News

The Chadwick Case.

New York, Dec. 12.—Although the efforts of counsel to secure bail for her have so far ended in failure, Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick told a keeper in the Tombs prison this morning that she had great hopes of securing a bondsman today, and thereby obtaining her freedom. Upon what she based her hopes for release she did not state. At the conclusion of a conference between Mrs. Chadwick and Mr. Ryall this morning the latter stated that as a result of his visit he has renewed hope of a settlement. "If the money does not come from Mrs. Chadwick herself," he said, "it will come from some one else who is interested in her." United States Marshal Henkel today received a subpoena from the United States District Attorney's office in Cleveland, O., in which he was directed to serve at once upon Andrew Carnegie, who is wanted to testify before the grand jury in Cleveland in the case of the people of the State of Ohio against Messrs. Beckwith, Spears and others, who placed such confidence in Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick's possibility. The subpoena was served upon Mr. Carnegie early this morning. "I'm ill with lumbago," Mr. Carnegie said, "and cannot attend."

Boston, Dec. 12.—With the failure of the Lorraine county, Ohio, grand jury to indict Mrs. Chadwick it is possible that the most remarkable financier of the country may figure in the criminal courts of Massachusetts on a charge of forgery and obtaining money under false pretences. Forgery, however, is not the only charge upon which Mrs. Cadwick may be indicted in Massachusetts. The grand jury could indict her under the provisions of section 63, chapter 208, which says the obtaining of property by trick or deceit is larceny. In the Chadwick case it would, of course, be grand larceny. Section 64 of the same chapter provides a maximum penalty of 10 years in prison for a person convicted of gross fraud. There is a maximum penalty of five years for obtaining money under false pretences.

Alleged Oaths of Farmers' League.

New Orleans, Dec. 12.—As the result of the use of Pinkerton detectives, who were employed by the State of Mississippi, at a cost of $2,500, and also by Governor Vardaman, to gather evidence against the members of the Farmers' League who, it is alleged, has been conducting a negro extermination war near Brookhaven, Mississippi., copies of the oaths the white-cappers were required to take have just reached the governor. There are two forms of oath as follows: "Do you solemnly swear that you will keep the secrets of the Farmers' League, a profoune secret; that you will obey all orders and if you are called on to contribute to the cause, and if you are brought before the courts, you will keep everything a secret? You are warned in this oath that if you divulge anything, death is the penalty. So help you God." The second form of oath is a little longer than the first form, and reads: "I do solemnly swear to keep and never reveal any of the secrets of this organization and do solemnly swear that I will live and abide by any of the rules that are now or that maybe hereafter devised; that if ever called upon to sit upon any grand jury or other jury, to hold out for ever against any bill or verdict directed against any member of this organization; also that I will assist in every way directed by the organization to counsel the negroes to vacate any and all property owned by merchants, and to assist in putting out of the way any and all obnoxious negroes within the jurisdiction of the club; that I fully understand that death shall be the penalty to any and all members revealing any of the secrets or workings of this organization." This second oath shows that the organization was banded together for the purpose of murder, if it deemed that it was necessary.

Oldest Member of Parliament Dead.

London, Dec. 12.—Hon. Spencer Charrington, the oldest member of Parliament, is dead. His death creates a vacancy in the Mile End Division, east London, and the election of his successor will provide evidence as to how the poor of London view the protection proposals advocated by the Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, former Colonial Secretary. The alien question will operate in the election, the division being permeated with foreigners. Hon. Spencer Charrington was born in 1818 and has represented Mile End, Tower Hamlets, in Parliament since 1885. In 1858 he married Alethea Charlotte, daughter of Rev. J. Calmeyer, arch-deacon of Hammerfest, Norway. He was a brewer.

Scarcity of Water.

Burlington, Vt., Dec. 12.—Reports from towns all over Vermont indicate a scarcity of water that is causing much inconvenience to farmers and mill owners, and which threatens, unless rain falls soon, to develop into a serious water famine. All the rivers in the State are very low, and in the manufacturing towns mills are forced to run on short time. The plant of the International Paper Company at Milton is affected, as well as the plant of the American Woolen Company, at Winooskie. Many other mill industries are also affected. Wells and water supplies are drying the farming districts and farmers are drawing water long distances to supply their household needs and cattle.

Building Dynamited.

Cincinnati, Dec. 12.—For the fifth time in two months the Newport Iron Foundry and Machine Company's building at Newport, Ky., was dynamited last night. The workmen in the place all escaped injury. Two men were seen running east in Twelfth st., immediately after the explosion, but they elude their pursuers, and disappeared. A great hole was torn in the roof of the coal room, where the bomb alighted. The walls of the pattern room are so twisted and bulged, that it is feared they will collapse. Every window in the pattern room was broken. There has been serious disorder as the result of the foundry workers' strike.

Attempted Assassination.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 12.—An attempt to assassinate Col. Kisijakewsky, chief of police of Odessa, was made today. The chief of police was walking through Preobraschen street, when he was struck a heavy blow on the back of the head with an iron knobbed stick. He was taken to a Jewish hospital which happened to be the nearest, and is now there in a dangerous condition. His assailants escaped.

Ignorant of Spiritual Life.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—"There are many people on the church rolls who do not understand what a spiritual life is. There are men in our great universities who can think, write, and teach; they understand logic, they delight in argumentation, but when they listen to a spiritual sermon a dazed look come over their faces. They are psychic. The psychic is a spiritual idiot. He understands material things, but he has no use for a prayer meeting. Modern civilization, I verily believe, is not material but psychic. There is too much materialism, and not enough spiritualism in our great universities." So argued Dr. Gifford, of Buffalo, in a sermon before students at the University of Chicago, in Mandel Hall Sunday.

The Bombardment of Port Arthur.

Tokio, Dec. 12.—A dispatch from the commander of the land battery at Port Arthur today states that a further bombardment has disabled the Russian fleet in the harbor to such an extent that it has not been necessary to again attack the vessels. The town of Port Arthur has, says, is now being shelled.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Advices received by the Japanese Legation this morning from Tokio state that the heavy bombardment at Port Arthur on Dec. 11 inflicted considerable damage upon the wireless telegraph station at the foot of Golden Hill and set the arsenal afire.

Engaged to be Married.

Chicago Dec. 12.—Alice Crook, the man who had never been kissed, and professor of mineralogy, at the North western University, is engaged to be married, according to reports current at the university. Ever since the professor's experience three years ago, he has shunned publicity as at that time he was the recipient of thousands of letters, questioning him about the veracity of the declaration that he had never kissed a woman or child. It was said in Evanston, however, that the future Mrs. Crook resides in Ohio, where the professor spent his boyhood and college days.

Anti-war Demonstrations Renewed.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 12.—The anti-war demonstrations in the streets of the capital, which were quelled yesterday, were renewed today. Further disturbances have occurred, and serious trouble is feared.

Forty-one socialist leaders who took part in yesterday's demonstration near the Kasan Cathedral are now under arrest. The conduct of the police yesterday has caused much indignation.

Found Dead in Freight Yard.

New Brunswick, N. J., Dec. 12.—George E. Williams of 2218 Eleventh street, Washington, D. C., was found dead in the Pennsylvania freight yards here this morning. There was a scratch on the forehead, and it is believed that he fell from a train. His name was found in a book in his pocket, also a request that in case of accident Sarah E. Williams, of No. 151 Manhattan avenue, New York, be notified. Coroner Quackenoss has wired her.

Fire in New York.

New York, Dec. 12.—Fire this morning gutted the five story building at 271 Water street, occupied by Hoople and Androvette, importers of paints and varnishes. The loss will reach $150,000. Several firemen were overcome by smoke.

New York Stock Market.

New York, Dec. 12.—The general list was off a point. The suddenness and vigor of the movement carried many traders off their feet and any support which may have existed was unavailing to prevent an outpouring of stocks and further declines in the first hour of from 2 to 4 per cent. The low price of Amalgamated Copper was 4½ per cent. higher under the initial figure and over six points under Saturday's close. There are no new developments to justify the weakness and money rates opened easy.

Murder and Arson.

Berlin Dec. 12.—The news of a wholesale murder has just reached here, the village of Mederstein, Saxony. Herr Fremdenberg, his wife, their three children, and two grandchildren, were murdered and the peretrators then set fire to the house to hide the crime. The police have under arrest a near relative of Fremdenberg on suspicion of being the murderer.

Fifty-Eighth Congress.

Washington, Dec. 12.

SENATE.

Immediately after the opening of the Senate today the chair announced the receipt from the Secretary of State of the certificates of final ascertainment of presidential electors from the States of Georgia, Vermont, Ohio, Arkansas, Maryland, Delaware, Virginia and Illinois.

The legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bills were received from the House and referred.

A bill was past permitting the erection of a building on the Mall, for exhibition purposes in connection with the international railway congress, to be held in Washington in May.

Mr. Stewart introduced a bill fixing the salaries of President, Vice President, Senators, Members of Congress and Delegates, after March 4th, 1909. He urged its passage. The scale of salaries is as follows:

President, $10,000, and free use of the White House, furniture, etc.; Vice President and Speaker of the House of Representatives, $20,000 each; Senators, Representatives and delegates, $10,000 each. It is provided that the salary of $20,000 for Vice President shall be given the President pro tem of the Senate in case he performs the functions of that office.

HOUSE.

Today, by agreement, was devoted by the House to consideration of private pension bills. There were less than a hundred members present.

Lawson Explains Panic.

The New York World publishes an interview with Thomas W. Lawson, of Boston, who caused such a commotion in Wall street last week, in which Mr. Lawson explains his reasons and aims to James Creelman.

Mr. Lawson is quoted as saying he felt some responsibility for holders of Amalgamated Copper stock, and, knowing of certain schemes, he determined to tell the truth.

"I knew the methods by which they had been robbed. I knew that ruin was staring them in the face unless they acted quickly," he is quoted as saying.

Mr. Creelman's article continues, quoting Mr. Lawson:

"I advertised the fact over my signature in the newspapers of New York, Boston, Chicago and Los Angeles. I cabled the advertisement to London. All this cost, with incidental expenses, something like $92,000. Mr. Lawson says his action was an object lesson and they have proved that "frenzied financiers" would not buy for $68 what they sold for $100.

Mr. Lawson Again.

New York, Dec. 12.—Thomas W. Lawson put out another of his characteristic advertisements this morning, with the result that the stock market went to pieces, acting much as it did last week. Liquidation set in from the start, and values toppled. Lawson reiterated the charges he made against what he terms "the system," and declared that if his "terrible statements were false, I would today be in prison or my body suspended to a lamp post." Lawson stated that he is going to strike again, "suddenly, sharply, sensationally."

News of the Day.

Robbers knocked down the clerk and stole $2,000 from the office of the Leahey Coal Company, in Altoona, Pa., Saturday.

The body of Paul Kruger reached Pretoria Saturday, and was escorted by former Boer generals to the hall where it will lie in state.

Orsen E. Woodbury, author of the campaign song of 1840, "Tippecanoe and Tyler, Too," died at Madison, Wis., Saturday, at the age of eighty.

Premier Combes' victory in the French Chamber of Deputies assures the carrying out of his programme, the chief feature of which is the separation of church and State.

Mrs. William Cahill, of Syracuse, was put out of her home early yesterday morning by her husband, and was obliged to stand shivering in her nightgown until the police came to her rescue.

Mrs. Charles W. Fairbanks, present general of the National Society of Daughter of American Revolution, has requested all chapters to hold a colonial tea on January 6th, the anniverrary of the wedding of George and Martha Washington.

Rumors are extant that the Western Maryland Railroad and the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad will take over the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal franchise from the state and divide the ditch, the former taking that portion west of Hancock.

The Bethlehem Steel Corporation, with an authorized capital of $30,000,000, was incorporated at Trenton, N. J., Saturday. The corporation will succeed the United States Shipbuilding Company, now in the hands of former United States Senator James Smith, jr., as receiver.

One hundred quarts of nitroglycerin shipped from Sistersville, W. Va., to Maysville, Ky., in a small boat in charge of three men, exploded one mile below Catlettsburg Saturday afternoon. The explosion broke window glass in the cities of Huntington, Catlettsburg, Ashland, and Ironton, and was heard for twenty miles. The men in the boat were blown to atoms.

The Peoria, Ill., National Bank, in the heart of the business district, was robbed of $500 Saturday afternoon by three men, two of whom leveled pistols at Teller F. A. Baker while the third robber seised the money lying behind the latter's window. The men then dashed out of the bank, after warning everybody not to make a move. Leaping into a buggy, standing near, they lashed their horse into a run and escaped. Yesterday the men who robbed the National Bank were captured at Toulon with $1,880 in currency in their pockets.

Miss Leiter to Marry.

The engagement of Miss Daisy Leiter, sister of Lady Curzon, to the Earl of Suffolk and Berkshire, England, was announced last night by Mrs. Leiter from the family residence in Chicago. The date of the wedding has not been decided on as yet, but will be in the near future. Miss Daisy Leiter is the youngest daughter of the late Levi Z. Leiter, and is the third of the Leiter girls who have married Englishmen. Miss Mary, the eldest of the daughters, is the wife of Lord Curzon, of Kedleston, viceroy of India. Miss Nannie, the second daughter, was married two weeks ago to Major Colin Campbell.

A collision between clericals and republicans occurred at Valencia today. Fifty persons were injured by the gendarmes, several of them seriously. Many of the rioters were arrested.

Startling Evidence.

Fresh testimony in great quantity is constantly coming in, declaring Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds to be unequaled. A recent expression from T. J. McFarland, of Bentonville, Va., serves as example. He writes: "I had Bronchitis for three years and doctored all the time without being benefitted. Then I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and a few bottles wholly cured me." Equally effective in curing all Lung and Throat troubles, Consumption, Pneumonia and Grip. Guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists. Trial bottle free, regular sizes 50c and $1.00.

Be Quick.

Not a minute should be lost when a child shows symptoms of croup. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, will prevent the attack. It never fails, and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by Gibson and Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

A Pleasant Pill.

No pill is as pleasant and positive as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are so mild and effective that children, delicate ladies and weak people enjoy their cleansing effect, while strong people say they are the best liver pills sold. Sold by all druggists.

DIED.

Sunday morning at 8 o'clock, MYRON BALL, infant son of James F. and Nellie L. Wood, aged 15 months. Funeral will take place from his parents' residence, 220 S. Fayette street, on Tuesday evening at 3 o'clock. Friends invited.—[Washington and Richmond papers please copy.

"Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer."

The secret is out and Alexandria can go on living just as if the riddle had never been asked.

No it can't, either. Alexandria is not going to be what it was before. It's houses are going to be brighter; its people a little more properous—they are going to have some of their money left to buy other things with.

The answer to the riddle is this: you can paint a building with fewer gallons of Devoe Lead and Zinc paint than with mixed paints, and it will wear several times as long as a building painted with lead and oil mixed by hand.

There's proof abundant of it all over the United States. There will soon be proof abundant of it in Alexandria.

What will people do with the rest of their money?

FERRIS SQUARES BONELESS BREAKFAST BACON, HAMS and STRIPS BACON for sale by J. C. MILBURN.

Alexandria Gazette.
MONDAY EVENING, DEC. 12, 1904

Local Matters.

Sun rises tomorrow at 7:11 and sets 4:39. High water at 11:31 a. m. and 12:06 p. m.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—For this section snow tonight. Tuesday fair and colder; fresh to brisk westerly winds.

Arrest of Car Robber.

Joe Neal, alias Fitzhugh Lee Weems, alias Fitzhugh Williams, alias George Carter, a fugitive from justice, who is charged with robbing cars in the neighborhood of this city, was arrested yesterday by Constable Hurst of Fairfax county, and brought here and turned over to Commonwealth's Attorney Brent who later delivered him up to Officer Young. Constable Hurst was arrested several weeks ago on the charge of purchasing goods stolen from freight cars, it was understood that Neal would prove to be a valuable witness. He was arrested in Richmond and confined in the Henrico county jail, from which institution he made his escape on the night of December 4 by cutting a hole through the wall with a piece of iron from his bed and lowering himself to the ground by means of a "dead" electric light wire. Shortly after Neal was placed in a cell at headquarters Officers Young and Allen arrested Winter Crupper, a night watchman at the Washington Southern freight yards, on a statement made by Carter to the effect that he was implicated in the robbery of cars. Crupper was brought before the Police Court this morning and dismissed by Justice Caton. Carter, who pleaded guilty of robbing cars, was sent on to the grand jury. The prisoner is alleged to have made a confession in which he charges several well-known individuals heresbouts as being concerned in robberies or receiving goods knowing them to have been stolen. Crupper was, however, later in the day indicted by the Corporation Court, and later released on bail.

Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton, presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

H. D. Gardner, arrested by Lieutenant Smith charged with assaulting Clarence Russell and with carrying a pistol, forfeited his collateral by failing to appear.

James Doomes and Richard C. Cox, arrested by Officers Smith, Nicholson and Ferguson charged with robbing Jesse Battenfield, were fined $50 and sent to jail for six months.

Conrad Osten, arrested by Officer Ferguson charged with disorderly conduct, forfeited his collateral by failing to appear.

John Jones, arrested by Conductor Travers for disorderly conduct on an electric train, forfeited his collateral by failing to appear.

Silas Bellfield, colored, who had been arrested in connection with this case, was dismissed.

George Carter, charged with robbing cars, was sent on to the grand jury.

Winter Crupper, arrested by Officers Bettis and Allen charged with being implicated in the robbery of cars, was dismissed for want of evidence.

Charged With Robbery.

Officers Smith, Nicholson and Ferguson late Saturday night arrested James Dooms, Richard C. Cox and David Thomason, members of the Forty-seventh Company, Coast Artillery, stationed at Fort Hunt, on complaint of Jesse Battenfield, a member of the same company. It appeared that Thomason was not directly involved, and he was released, but Dooms and Cox were locked up and Battenfield was held to appear against them in the Police Court this morning. When the case was called Battenfield said the accused approached him in the Royal street station Saturday and told him a member of the command had been locked up in the station house, and that he could be released by leaving $5 collateral. The prisoner, they stated, had but $4, and Battenfield gave them $1. He subsequently left the station house with three men, two of whom he claimed took $3 from him forcibly. Dooms and Cox were fined $50 each and sent to jail for six months.

The River.

The river froze from shore to shore yesterday morning, and ice an inch thick extended as far down as Glymont. The Norfolk steamer soon set it to running, while the Baltimore and Ohio transfer tugboat Brewerton and other steam craft kept it on the go in front of the city. The Norfolk steamer Washington arrived up this morning. Her officers report heavy snow when off Maryland Point.

The four-masted schooner Fred A. Davenport, from Charleston, S. C., with fertilizing material to the Bryant Fertilizer Company, has arrived.

The barge Cecil, from Baltimore, with fertilizing material for the Alexandria Fertilizer and Chemical Company, is at W. A. Smoot & Co's wharf.

The Frigid Wave.

The snowfall which set in Friday night continued until the close of Saturday, when the ground was covered to a depth of four or five inches. The mercury in the thermometer had fallen to 16.° Fair weather followed, and yesterday the sky was clear and the sun shone brightly. At the close of the day the weather was cold, and this morning the mercury stood at 20°. There were evidences of spits of snow during the night. The churches had meagre congregations at the services yesterday morning, and there was a further falling off at night in consequence of the slippery condition of the streets. Snow began to fall again this morning, but ceased about noon.

Christmas Shopping.

Many people in this city and in the surrounding country are spending money for Christmas gifts. Most of them look to the advertisements in the newspapers for hints as to what to buy and where to buy it. The man who makes or sells any article suitable for a Christmas gift, and who fails to advertise it, thereby cuts himself off from participation in the benefits of the holiday rush. He might as well bar the main door of his establishment and expect customers to come in through the window.

A few loaves of bread were seized in market today for being slightly under weight. The explanation was entirely satisfactory to Justice Caton who promptly dismissed the case when he heard the statement.

...tion Court.

...Barley presiding.]

...er, a grand jury term of the Corporation Court, opened today.

The grand jury returned the following indictments: Fitz Lee Weems, Winter Crupper, John Thomas and John Gordon, for housebreaking and entering and robbing freight cars, and Alfonso Dantanio, for assaulting and shooting James Winkfield, colored. The grand jury then took a recess for dinner.

Personal

The Fellowship Club, of Philadelphia celebrated its tenth birthday Saturday night with a dinner in the Bellevue-Stratford, at which Senator Philander C. Knox was the guest of honor. The Record of that city says: Following the "skit" State Senator Lewis H. Machen, of Virginia, a democrat, made a plea for close and more effectual union of the North and South and urged the curtailing of the ignorant negro's power, vested in him by the ballot."

Death of Mrs. Hopkins.

Mrs. Ella M. Hopkins, wife of Mr. A. W. Hopkins, of this city, died on the 3d instant at Providence Hospital, Washington, the result of an operation. The deceased was 29 years old, and was a lady much esteemed by all who knew her. She leaves one child. The funeral took place last Tuesday. The interment was in Stone Chapel cemetery, Pikesville, Md.

Directors Elected.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Standard Brick Company, held in this city today, the following directors were elected: Park Agnew, T. L. Holbrook, Frederick Mertens, W. A. Richards, W. G. Rogers, W. T. Walker and H. P. West.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Myron Wood, the one-year-old son of Mr. James F. Wood, died at his home, on south Fayette street, last night.

A freight car in the Washington-Southern Railway yards in this city was broken open and robbed last night.

The police have been directed to notify persons throughout the city to have the snow cleared from their sidewalks.

A sleigh containing two men was upset on King street yesterday morning. Neither of the occupants was seriously hurt.

The steam launch Doc Reh will be sold by the U. S. Marshal tomorrow. The sale will take place at Hammond's wharf.

A colored man named Smith was struck by a south bound electric train at Arlington Junction about 7:30 o'clock last night, and his left leg was seriously injured. Smith was brought to this city and placed in the Alexandria Hospital.

Mrs. Chadwick.

A claim that she was the illegitimate daughter of Andrew Carnegie was the secret of Cassie L. Chadwick's success as a confidence swindler. This secret was revealed yesterday by Iri Reynolds, one of her ruined dupes. It was the foundation of his faith in her, just as it was the basis of the hope of her other avaricious and unscrupulous dupes, who, for the liberal bonuses she paid, were ready to wink at the blackmail she confessed to be practicing. Mrs. Chadwick's profits from her combination of blackmail and confidence swindling are known to have been $1,190,000. Losses sustained by others are many times that amount. Her creditors will realize nothing. The story of how the woman spent her loot is incredible in the extent of the reckless prodigality and extravagance it reveals.—[Phila. North American.

The Lorain county (O.) special grand jury on Saturday reported there was not sufficient evidence to indict Mrs. Chadwick.

That Thobbing Headache

Would quickly leave you if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches. They make pure blood and build up your health. Only 25 cents, money back if not cured. Sold by E S Leadbeater & Sons, druggists.

Mothers, Be Careful

of the health of your children. Look out for Coughs, Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough. Stop them in time—One Minute Cough Cure is the best remedy. Harmless and pleasant. Sold by all druggist.

Bilious Colic Prevented.

Take a double dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as soon as the first indication of the disease appears and a threatened attack may be warded off. Hundreds of people who are subject to attacks of bilious colic use the remedy in this way with perfect success. For sale by Gibson and Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

LOST.—On Monday, December 12, a pair of gold rimmed EYE GLASSES. A suitable reward will be paid for their return to Gazette office. de12 3t

A Card.

I wish to call the public's attention to the fact that the firm of RODIER & GROVES, Decorators and Painters, has dissolved partnership. I also thank you for past patronage and state to you that if you desire an estimate on any work I will furnish the same.

Respectfully,
ISAAC S. GROVES,
Painter and Decorator,
de12 3t* No. 514 south Henry street.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF ALEXANDRIA COUNCIL, R. A., for the election of officers will be held at Odd Fellows' Hall, TUESDAY EVENING, December 13th, at 7:30 o'clock.
J. E. ALEXANDER, Secretary.
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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the AMERICAN RUTILE COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on MONDAY, the 2d day of January, 1905, from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock p. m., for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as can be lawfully considered. The transfer books will be closed for ten days prior to the 2d day of January, 1905.
W. M. SLATER, President.
SHERWOOD WILSON, Sec. and Treas.
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Best N. Y. Rural Potatoes,

65c bushel, 18c peck. Cal. Smo. Ham, 8c lb. Fresh Corned Hams, 12½c lb. Fresh Corned Shoulders, 10c lb. Eggs, 28c doz. 3 lbs. Seeded Raisins, 25c. Figs, 10c lb, Country Scrappel, 5c lb. 7 lbs Va. Buckwheat, 25c 5 lbs Bucket Pure Leaf Lard, 50c.
W. P. WOOLLS & SONS,
Two Stores—400 south Royal st., 1101 Queen street. dec 9 1m

WANTED.—TWO HONEST YOUNG MEN wanted to travel in Virginia. Experience unnecessary. References required. $15 a week and expenses to start. "WHOLESALE," 246 Summer St., Boston, Mass. 1t

400 pounds of LARGE FRESH SOFT SMYRNA FIGS, 10c lb., 10 lb. boxes 90c at
J. C. MILBURN'S.

Choice MALAGA GRAPES 15c lb at
J. C. MILBURN'S.

CHINA, GLASS AND HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS.

ELLIOTT'S.

428-430 King Street.

OPEN EVENINGS UNTIL CHRISTMAS.

$5,000 Worth of Christmas Goods.

$5,000.00 worth of Christmas Goods and all must be sold inside of three weeks. It looks like a big undertaking, but we have the facilities for quick handling of business and the task will be easy for us.

Toys and Dolls.

Automobiles	$8.98
Galloping Horses at $3.98, $4.98, $7.50 and	$10.00
French Jointed Dolls at $5 and	$10.00
Doll Go-carts at $2.50, $3.50 and	$6.98
"Wabash" Hand Cars	$2.98
Flexible Flyers, a fine sled, at	$2.98
Doll Houses at $1, $2.98 and	$4.98
Mechanical Trains, on double tracks at	$4.98
Flying Horses at	$1.00
Tricycle Wagons at	$3.50
Velocipedes at $1.39, $1 69, $1.98 and	$2.50
Musical Albums at	$4.98

Tree Ornaments.

$500 worth of Christmas Tree Ornaments, Animals for Yards, Floating Toys, Fences, Tree Holders, Candles, &c.

Big 5 and 10c Toy Departments.

5,000 Pounds of 10 Cent Candies.

Pay a small deposit and have goods laid aside. It would open your eyes to visit our warehouse and see the goods that have already been laid aside.

C. S. ELLIOTT,

China, Glass and Silverware.

428-430 KING STREET.

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE.

For Sale

One of the most desirable pieces of wharf property in this city, located at the foot of King street, and includes all the land known as the Strand for entire width of this property. In view of the fact that all of the available wharf properties have been purchased, improved and occupied by present owners, this presents a rare opportunity to purchase a valuable piece of property of this kind.

A handsome Cottage, containing 7 rooms, beautiful grounds, fruits, flowers, shrubbery; in one of the choicest locations in the thriving village of Del Ray.

Frame Cottage, 7 rooms and bath; nice stable, with one-half acre of land, at Braddock Heights, within three minutes' walk of station.

Four beautiful Building Lots, on east side of Columbus, between Madison and Montgomery streets.

Three choice Building Lots on King street, near new Union station.

One of the choicest Building Lots in this city, 45x100, within close proximity to Christ Church.

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Real Estate, Loan and Insurance Brokers,

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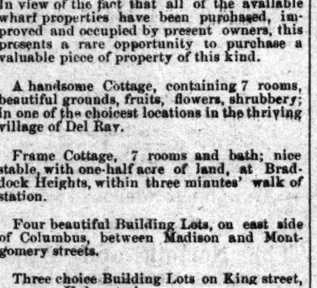

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just now, and is playing havoc all over the country, but he will settle down to business bye-and-bye. Meanwhile we are doing business at the same old stand, and are supplying the needs of the people of this city with just as good and just as clean and satisfactory coal as we have ever sold before, and if you need a new supply, just send us your order and we will deliver at once.

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Why Is Rosenfeld's the Christmas Store?

Putting the question Saturday,
The answer flashed back:
Because it is the popular everyday store.
Why is it the popular store?

And these are some of the reasons given—Because largest stock in the city; this is unquestioned.

Greatest variety from fine to low priced goods worth having. This is conceded.

Because lowest in price. This is a general rule, has been many times demonstrated, exceptions being when stores undersell us for advertising effects.

Because there is only one price except to clergymen and our own people, but that price is guaranteed to be the lowest the goods can be had for, or we will buy them back if returned in a few days, unless barred by sanitary rules.

Cotton is never sold for linen, wool or silk, 36 inches to the yard.

Exact statements are made about everything.

For Useful and Ornamental Christmas Presents Come to

Rosenfeld's,

518-20 King St., Alexandria, Va

DRY GOODS.

Woodward & Lothrop

10th, 11th, F & G Sts N W.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Beginning Thursday, the 15th, store will be kept open evenings until Xmas.

Xmas Cards, Books, Diaries and Calendars—Main Floor, G Street.

The morning—and before 11 o'clock—is the ideal part of the day in which to shop.

Holiday Dress Patterns.

Dress Goods Underpriced.

Either boxed or inclosed in neat lithographed bands, ready for presentation. The most popular fabrics, imported and domestic, are included and the quantities sufficent for any style of dress or waist.

Dress Patterns, $3.50, $4, $4.50 to $7.50.
Waist Patterns, $1.50, $2, $2.25 to $3.

Colored Dress Goods

At Less Than Half Price.

As the quantities are limited it would be advisable to make selections with as little delay as possible.

Lot 1—Camel's Hair and Zibeline Plaids,

Medium and large size, in bright warm colorings and rich dark effects. These goods are strictly all wool, very fine and soft and suitable for women's house dresses, waists and children's wear. 45 and 50 inches wide.

50c the Yard. Regular Price, $1.50.

Lot 2—Imported French Diagonals

In a good assortment of the most wanted colors. These are all wool, of excellent quality and 45 inches wide. We offer them at the special price

75c the Yard, Regular Price, $1.25.

Black Dress Patterns.

In Plain and Fancy Weaves, including rich novelties,

$3.50, $4, $4.50 to $7.50 the Pattern.

Also the following special values in

Black Dress Goods

Purchased for the Holidays:

Camel's Hair Zibeline, all wool, 36 inches wide.
37½c the Yard Regular Price, 50c.

Granite Cloth, all wool, 36 inches wide.
37½c the Yard. Regular Price, 50c.

Panama Voile, all wool, 32 inches wide.
37½c the Yard. Regular Price, 50c.

French Zibeline, all wool, 46 inches wide.
59c the Yard. Regular Price, $1.25.

Panama Suiting, all wool, 48 inches wide.
75c the Yard. Regular Price, $1.

Rough Cheviot, all wool, 50 inches wide.
75c the Yard. Regular Price, $1.

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E. M. ANDERSON,

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Buckwheat Flour,

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Women's Two-clasp Brown and Gray Cashmere Gloves. Special..... 50c

Women's Two-clasp Glace Gloves, in tan, brown, beaver, gray, pearl oxblood, black and white. Special..... $1.00

Two and Three-clasp Glace Gloves, in tan, gray, brown, beaver and black, for..... $1.25

Three-clasp and One-button Suede Gloves, in tan, mode, gray and black..... $1.50

Perrins' Three-clasp Glace Gloves, in white, black, tan and mode..... $1.75

Black and white 12-button Suede Gloves for..... $2.00

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Hundreds of Sure-to-Please Articles For Pleasing, Practical Presents.

A special discount of ten per cent. on purchases for charitable institutions and Sunday schools.

Ladies' 2-clasp Kid Gloves, all shades; $1 value, at 69c.

Ladies' English Walking Gloves; $1.25 value (guaranteed), at $1.

Children's Kid Gloves, all shades, at 75c.

Children's Handkerchiefs, fancy borders and white hemstitch, 3c.

Special lot Ladies' Embroidered Handkerchiefs; 19c to 25c value, at 12½c.

Ladies' Initial Handkerchiefs, 12½c.

Men's Initial Handkerchiefs, a beauty, for 12½c.

Ladies' Embroidered Handkerchiefs; 38c to 50c values, for 25c.

Silk Mufflers, 50c, 75c, $1.

White Hemstitched Silk Handkerchiefs at 25c.

Ladies' and Men's Umbrellas, 50c, 98c, $1.25, $1.50 to $5.

Beautiful line of Gents' Silk Neckwear; 50c values, at 25c.

Men's Silk Suspenders, a pair in a fancy box, for 50c.

Ladies' Neckwear at 25c, 50c, 98c to $1.50.

Special lot of Lace and Black Jet Collars, 10c.

Leather Purses, 10c, 25c, 50c to $1.50.

Ladies' Shopping Bags, walrus leather, $1.98.

Leather Shopping Bags, 25c, 50c, 98c.

White Aprons, large sizes, lace trimmed, 25c.

Applique Scarfs and Shams, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1 to $1.50.

Children's Sweaters, 50c and 98c.

Ladies' Sweaters, $1.98, $2.98, $3.98.

100 dozen Ladies' Turn-over Collars, 5c.

Satin Ribbons, 5 inches wide, 25c yard.

Bleached Table Linens, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1 and $1.50.

Fancy Bordered and White Hemstitched Towels, 25c.

"Buster Brown" Hosiery for boys and girls, 25c.

Ladies' Short Corsets, 39c, 59c, with garter attachment.

All-wool Flannel Shirt Waists for ladies; $1.50 value, for 98c.

Ladies' Dressing Sacques; 75c value, at 59c.

Ladies' Fleece Vests and Pants at 31c.

Men's Fancy Percale Shirts, laundered; 50c value, at 29c.

Men's Fancy Half Hose, 12½c pair.

All-wool White Blankets at $5 pair.

Down Comforts, $6.98 and $7.98.

Rugs at 98c to $10.

Evening shades of Silks, Peau de Cygnes, Satin Liberty and Gros de Londres, at 50c.

Taffeta Silks in all shades, 39c.

Our line of Furs has been replenished for the holiday trade. Fur Scarfs, 98c to $25 and Muffs to match.

Misses' and Children's Fur Sets, 98c to $7.98 set.

Special offerings in our Dress Goods Department for the holidays.

Ladies' Tourist Coats, $11.98; Short Jackets, $4.98; Children's Coats, $3.98.

We box free of charge all Kid Gloves and Handkerchiefs from 25c and upward.

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We are agents for Weber Pianos, Ivers & Pond, Estey Organs, Fisher Pianos, Ludwig Pianos, Lester Pianos, Franklin Pianos, Howard Pianos and other celebrated makes. Mandolins, Violins, Guitars, Banjos, Music Boxes, &c.

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MOLASSES
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3,750 lbs.
NEW NUTS,
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CANDY,
Some Very Fine,
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BEFORE XMAS
Prices Are Very Low.
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25 Boxes
Fancy Imported
Cluster Raisins,
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SMYRNA FIGS.
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Extra Fancy Tinted
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Fine Smooth Skinned
Florida Oranges
Large Dark
Cape Cod Cranberries
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"Putting Aside" Time IS Here.

We are now in readiness to provide that which is suitable for holiday buying. Every line throughout our store is the strongest that long experience can assemble. Every price quotation is the lowest possible and preserves the essential of highest quality for which this store is justly noted. In counseling early attention to gift-buying, we are unselfishly advising for your interest. Purchases selected now will be laid aside and you may call for them at your convenience. If you have not as yet made up your mind what to buy, you will find a host of suggestions on display in this store.

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The very latest designs. Something not easily broken. Long Leap Mills, Loop-the-Loops, Ferris Wheels, &c.

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From 10c to $15. Hair Horses, Rocking Horses, Shoofflies, Iron Wagons, Wooden Wagons, Coasters, Sleds, the newest designs, &c.

Christmas Books.

To begin with all copyrights are $1.68. These make beautiful presents. Linen Books, Cloth Books, Picture Books, Bibles, Testaments, &c.

Remember,

I have got to rebuild my store, and the goods I now have have got to be sold. With this in view remember you can get genuine bargains here that no other house in town can offer. Call and see for yourself.

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621 KING STREET.
no30

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Prices guaranteed to be the lowest.

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Saloon Cor. Pitt and Princess Streets.
no26 1m S. A. McNEELY.

AUCTION SALES.

UNITED STATES MARSHAL'S SALE

EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA.

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia, on the 2nd day of December, 1904, notice is hereby given that I will sell by public auction, for cash, on

TUESDAY,
the 13th day of December, 1904,
at 12 o'clock m., at the dock between Cameron and Queen streets, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, where she now lies the steam launch "Doc Reh," her engines, boilers, machinery, boats, tackle, apparel, appurtenances and furniture, as she now lies.

MORGAN TREAT,
United States Marshal.
by JOSEPH F. GLOVER,
Deputy Clerk.

Alexandria, Va., December 3, 1904.
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By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a decree entered in the suit of Virginia S. Hite et al. vs. Virginia Kay Wharton et al., pending in the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, the undersigned will offer for sale at public auction on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1904,

at 12 o'clock, in front of the Market Building, Royal street, Alexandria, Va., the following real estate:

No. 1. THREE-STORY BRICK HOUSE No. 209 Prince street, fronting on Prince street 21 feet, more or less, by 90 feet, more or less. [Liber No. 3, page 139.]

No. 2. LOT on south side of Wolfe street, between Columbus and Alfred streets, 24 feet in front and 220 feet in depth. [Liber No. 3, page 139.]

No. 3. TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE on the west side of Patrick street, between King and Cameron streets, fronting on Patrick street 21 feet and extending back 123 feet 5 inches. [Liber No. 3, page 138.]

Terms of Sale: One-third cash and the residue of purchase money in two equal payments at six and twelve months, the deferred payments to bear interest and be evidenced by notes of the purchasers and title retained until the whole of purchase money is paid. Conveyancing at cost of purchasers.

JOHN M. JOHNSON,
Commissioner of Sale.

This is to certify that John M. Johnson, commissioner of sale in the above suit, has executed the bond required of him—November 23, 1904.

JOHN S. BEACH, Clerk.
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.
no25 td

R. F. Knox, Auctioneer.

COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a decree entered in the chancery cause of Betty Baum and Henry Baum vs Julius Dreifus and others, pending in the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, the undersigned will offer for sale at public auction on

SATURDAY,
the 31st day of December, 1904,
at the Royal street front of the Market Building, Alexandria, Virginia, the following real estate: A LOT OF GROUND WITH THE BUILDINGS AND IMPROVEMENTS THEREON in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, described as follows, to-wit: Beginning on the east side of Payne street at the point of equal distance from King and Prince streets, that is to say, 176 feet 7 inches from the said streets, and running thence south on Payne street 60 feet to a twelve foot alley; thence east on said alley and parallel to King street, 123 feet 5 inches to the middle of the square; thence north and parallel to Payne street 60 feet; thence west in a straight line to the beginning, with all rights and appurtenances to the same belonging, it being the property of which the late Caroline Dreyfus, died seized and possessed. The terms of sale are one-third of the purchase money in cash and the residue thereof in two equal payments at six and twelve months with interest, the notes of the purchaser to evidence the deferred payments, and title to the property retained until the said deferred payments are paid.

J. K. M. NORTON,
JOHN M. JOHNSON,
Commissioners of Sale.

This is to certify that John M. Johnson, one of the Commissioners of Sale in the above entitled cause, has executed bond required of the Commssioners of Sale.

JOHN S. BEACH, Clerk.
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.
de10 td

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Have on hand Gibson's XX, XXX, XXXX, and Pure Old Rye, Old Cabinet and Monogram Whiskies; also Baker's and Thompson's Pure Rye Whiskies, to which they invite the attention of the trade.
Orders from the country for merchandise shall receive prompt attention.
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Whisky—Gibson's Sons & Co's Pure Old Rye,
Walter's Baker Pure Rye,
Monticello, very old Rye,
Ross & Thompson Old Thompson Rye
Very old Scotch,
Very old French Brandy.
Whisky from $1,50 to $8.00 gallon,
Catawba wine from 75c to $1.50 gallon,
Brandy $1.75 to $10 gallon.
Cooking Brandy and Cooking Sherry,
Old Duff Gordon Table Sherry,
Very old Maderia Wine,
Old Port Wine,
Jamaica and St. Croix Rum,
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Very old Peach Brandy,
Very old Apple Brandy,
Portner Brewery Co's. Standard,
Beers always in stock.
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Belfast Ginger Ale,
Virginia Clarets,
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We have only a few more dozen ROGERS KNIVES and FORKS at the reduced price—$1.50 the half dozen.
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20 boxes High Grade ADAMANTINE CANDLES (full weight), just received by
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HEINZ'S BAKED BEANS, vegetarian plain and with tomato sauce, just received by
J. C. MILBURN.

10 boxes Choice CREAM CHEESE just received by
J. C. MILBURN

Alexandria Gazette.

MONDAY EVENING, DEC. 12, 1904.

Death of Stonewall Jackson.

"Let us cross the river and rest under the shade of the trees."

Gently the threads of life were breaking,
As the shadows fell upon the tide,
And a people's sorrow quaking,
In the city by the river side;
In wandering dreams the warrior sleeping,
Was once again upon the shore,
And across the water he was seeking
The silent shades for evermore;
The mystic messenger upon the tide,
Was steering straight towards him there,
And taking his freight to the other side,
He was left alone in the silence there.
Alone in the silence of the shade,
Alone, but not forgotten ever,
Alone with the ever lonely dead,
Alone in the shade across the river.

November, 1904 FRANCIS ADAMS.

Maniac in Church With Axe.

Clad only in his underclothing and a raving maniac from an attack of typhoid fever, James Delatto, an Italian, 32 years old, with an axe held several policemen at bay for over two hours in the Fifth Reformed Dutch Church at Grand Rapids, Mich., shortly before the morning service yesterday. Before being captured he jumped on top of the big pipe organ, and policemen were compelled to climb into it from overhead to capture him. In the capture three policemen were cut with the axe and Delatto was shot in the head, but may recover. The organ was damaged to the exent of $1,500 and other damage was caused in the church by the maniac's weapon.

Coal in Virginia.

The geological survey has issued a report on the production of coal in this country in 1903, which contains some interesting figures regarding the number of tons and the value of the coal product of Virginia for that period. The total production of coal in Virginia, for the fiscal year 1903, was 3,451,307 short tons of the sport value of $3,302,149. Of the coal mined, 2,657,709 tons were bituminous, 764,065 semi-bituminous, and 29,543 tons of semi-anthracite. In 1902 Virginia held fifteenth place among the coal producing States of the Union, but in 1903, she moved down one peg, and Indian Territory took fifteenth place, charging places with Virginia.

Diphtheria Germ a Cure.

A solution of the problem of treating cerebro-spinal meningitis, commonly known as spotted fever, which, should it prove to be successful, will be a great aid to the medical profession, is announced by Dr. Arthur J. Wolff, bacteriologist, of the Hartford Board of Health. Dr. Wolff believes that the anti-toxin of spotted fever is found in the diphtheria germ. His conclusion is the result of experiments made when the epidemic of spotted fever was at its height in Hartford, Conn.

Winter Quarters in Virginia.

Eben D. Jordan, the millionaire business man and blue ribbon breeder of show horses, is going into winter quarters at Leesburg, Va. He has shipped 150 American-bred hackneys from weanlings to three-year-olds, to the farm of Senator Henry Fairfax, who is a member of the American Hackney Society. The idea is to give the youngsters the benefit of outdoor life the year round and escape the rigors of a New England winter. By this Mr. Jordan hopes to produce larger horses.

Worst of All Experiences.

Can anything be worse than to feel that every minute will be your last? Such was the experience of Mrs. S. H. Newson, Decatur, Ala. "I endured insufferable pain from indigestion, stomach and bowel trouble. Death seemed inevitable when doctors and all remedies failed. At length I was induced to try Electric Bitters and the result was miraculous. I improved at once and now I'm completely recovered. For Liver, Kidney, Stomach and Bowel trouble Electric Bitters is the only medicine. Only 50c. It's guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists.

No More Suffering.

If you are troubled with indigestion get a bottle of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and see how quickly it will cure you. Geo. A. Thomson, of Spencer, Ia., says: "Have had Dyspepsia for twenty years. My case was almost hopeless. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure was recommended and I used a few bottles of it and it is the only thing that has relieved me. Would not be without it. Have doctored with local physicians and also at Chicago, and even went to Norway with hopes of getting some relief, but Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is the only remedy that has done me any good, and I heartily recommend it Every person suffering with Indigestion or Dyspepsia should use it." Sold by all druggists.

Head About to Burst From Severe Bilious Attack.

"I had a severe bilious attack and felt like my head was about to burst when I got hold of a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. I took a dose of them after supper and the next day felt like a new man and have been feeling happy ever since," says Mr. J. W. Smith of Juliff, Texas. For biliousness, stomach troubles and constipation these Tablets have no equal. Price 25 cents. For sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

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AN OLD AND WELL-TRIED REMEDY.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over sixty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for Diarrhœa. Is pleasant to the taste. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Its value is incalculable. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup and take no other kind.

OPENING AND CLOSING OF MAILS

Northern mails, week days, close at 7 30 9 30 and 11 00 a. m., and 2 30, 6 40, 8 23 and 10 45 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m. and 4 30 p. m. On Sundays Northern mails close at 9 30 a. m., 2 20 p. m. and 7 20 p. m.

Southern mails via Charlottesville close at 7 30 and 10 40 a. m., and 2 30, 8 23 and 10 45 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 2 30 and 4 30 p. m.

Southern mails, via Richmond, close at 10 30 a. m., and 3 30, 6 30 and 10 45 p. m. Open at 8 a. m. and 1 and 4 p. m.

Manassas Division mails close at 7 20 a. m. and 4 00 p. m. Open at 12 00 m.

Alexandria and Round Hill mails close at 7 30 a. m. and 4 p. m. Open at 9 00 a. m. and 30 p. m.

Chesapeake and Ohio mails close at 2 30 p. m. and 10 45 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 4 30 p. m.

Washington mails close at 7 30, 9 30 and 11 10 a. m., and 2 30, 6 40, 8 23 and 10 45 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m. and 4 00 p. m. and 4 30 p. m.

Office Hours—Open at 8 00 a. m. Close at 6 00 p. m.

Sunday Hours—Open at 9 00 a. m. Close at 10 00 a. m.

Carriers' Schedule—Collection made on inside routes—6 30 and 10 00 a. m. and 3 00 and 5 30 p. m. Full route—6 30 a. m. and 5 30 p. m. Sunday collection 5 00 p. m. Carriers' window open Sunday 9 00 a. m. and close 10 00 a. m.

Deliveries made 8 00 a. m., 1 p. m. and 4 15 p. m.

All mail should be in the office ten minutes before our indicated time for closing.

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and savages may delight in seeing SUFFERING, but the highest thought of civilization is to relieve all pain. This can quickly be done with HAMLINS WIZARD OIL.

For internal and external curative action, it has no equal in the entire medical world. It relieves the inflammation which is irritating your nerves, regulates the circulation of the small blood vessels, and, by scientific means, gently but certainly restores your body to health.

You can't be sick, if you ward off the preliminary action of disease microbes, with this greatest of all medicines of modern times. Price 50c and $1.00. Fully guaranteed.

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AUCTION SALES.

SALE OF PROPERTY FOR NON-PAYMENT OF CITY TAXES.

Under the following resolution passed by the City Council Wednesday, November 9, 1904, I will sell at public auction on Thursday, December 15, 1904, in front of the Market Building, Royal street, Alexandria, Va., the following

LOTS AND IMPROVEMENTS

thereon, or as much thereof as may be necessary to pay and satisfy the taxes, assessments, or charges due to the City Council of Alexandria on the same.

Resolved, That the Collector of Taxes be, and he is hereby, directed to proceed and sell at public auction all real estate in the city of Alexandria on which taxes are due and unpaid to June 1, 1904, in conformity to the City Charter and laws relating to the same, said sale to commence Thursday, December 15, 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., and continue from time to time and from day to day until all such real estate is sold.

The purchaser will be required to pay, at at the time of sale, the taxes, assessments, charges and expenses of sale. The proprietor or proprietors of such lots, his or their heirs, representatives or agents, may, within two years from the day of sale, pay to the purchaser thereof, or to the City Treasurer, the money paid for such taxes, charges and expenses, as aforesaid, with six per cent. per annum as interest thereon, or make a tender of the same, in which event he shall be reinstated in his original title. If no such payment or tender be made within two years next after the sale, the purchaser will be required to pay the remainder of the purchase money into the treasury of the City Council, where it will remain, subject to the order of the proprietor or his legal representative; and the purchaser, on the payment of the whole amount of the purchase money, will receive a title to the said lot or lots, or such parts thereof, in fee simple, from the Auditor.

The sale will commence at 10 o'clock a. m. on the day specified, and if not completed on that day, will be continued from day to day and from time to time until completed.

P. F. GORMAN,
Collector of Taxes.

FIRST WARD.

Pope Ashton's estate lot 706 s Lee st, 1901, '02, '03, $4 85.

Beverly Diggs house and lot 213 Wolfe st, and house and lot in rear 213 Wolfe st, 1903, 13 30.

Sandy Henry's estate house and lot 103 Franklin st, 1901, '02, '03, 7 80.

C McLean's heirs lot e side Lee bet Church and South sts, 1902, '03, 3 00.

C McLean's heirs ¼ square ground s w cor Lee and Church sts, 1902, '03, 7 98.

Reu en Payne house and lot Potomac bet Jefferson and Franklin sts, 1895 to 1903, 12 22.

Geo Shelton's estate house and lot 105 Franklin st, 1902, '03, 3 97.

SECOND WARD.

T Sedden Taliaferro part of square Pitt to Royal, First to line, 1903, 13 96.

THIRD WARD.

Thomas Arrington house and lot 708 n Patrick st, 1902, '03, 11 26.

Alex Barbour house and lot 1010 Oronoco st, 1903, 6 14.

Mrs Lula B Ellis house and lot 720 n Columbus st, 1902, '03, 17 89.

Mrs Emma Gaines house and lot 119 n Henry st, 1902, '03, 13 44.

Mrs Elizabeth B Greene house and lot 1010 Princess st, 1901, '02, 7 99.

Mrs Mollie Lockett lot West st bet Princess and Oronoco, 1901, '02, '03, 3 50.

Mrs Alice P Lockwood house and lot 1022 Wythe st, 1903, 5 98.

Mrs Maria McDermott 3 houses and lots 1213-15-17 Queen st, 1903, 20 95.

Mrs Violett Nelson house and lot 225 n West st, 1900, '01, '02, '03, 10 00

H D B Norris 2 lots Madison between Washington and St Asaph sts, 1900, '01, '02, '03, 8 45.

Mrs Sarah E Simmes lot 514 Pendleton st, 1896 to 1903, 16 00.

Wm C Smith jr house and lot 108 n West st, 1901, '02, '03, 28 71.

T Sedden Taliaferro jr ½ square ground Washington, St Asaph, First and line, 1903, 2 00.

T Sedden Taliaferro jr ½ square Pitt, St Asaph, First and line, 1903, 2 00.

M C Wallace lot St Asaph bet Wythe and Madison sts, 1900, '01, '02, '03, 3 51.

Lawrence Washington 2 lots St Asaph bet Wythe and Madison sts, 1900, '01, '02, '03, 4 78.

Mrs L E Williams house and lot 1011 Princess st, 1902, '03, 9 94

FOURTH WARD.

Alex Perpetual Bldg Fund Asso'n, house and lot 223 s Pitt st, 1903, $34 75.

Parrish Burrell's estate house and lot 308 s Alfred st, 1902, '03, 8 32.

Mrs Barbara Chauncey house and lot 906 Duke st, 1903, 11 24.

Mrs Nancy Clark house and lot 326 s Alfred st, 1902, '03, 6 97.

Alex Conway house and lot 512 s Columbus st, 1903, 8 70.

Mrs Lavina Crosen house lot and 1013 Gibbon st, 1902, '03, 13 94.

Mrs Elizabeth B Greene ¼ square ground s e cor Columbus and Wilkes sts, 1901, '02, 35 57.

Jas H Lightfoot house and lot 228 s West st, 1902, '03, 14 23.

Mrs Eliza A Seaton lot 216 s Alfred st, 1901, '02, '03, 33 91.

Mrs Eliza A Seaton house and 3 lots 609-11-13 s St Asaph st, 1901, '02, '03, 50 74.

Mrs Mary V Travers house and lot 1005½ Gibbon st, 1903, 11 97.

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I have received today one car of very fine picked Baldwin Apples, which will be sold at $1.60 per barrel. No charge for the barrel. These apples are sound and the color is a bright red. In fact, I consider them equal to my $2.25 packed apples. Also 1 car of various Fruits. 35 boxes Oranges, 17 barrels fancy King Apples at $3.25 per barrel; 31 barrels extra fancy Greening Apples at $2.10 per barrel; 5 barrels Northern Spy Apples at $2.75 per barrel; 2 barrels Sheep Nose Apples at $3.75 per barrel, and 2 barrels Fancy Pears at $3 per barrel.

Vegetables.

I am still selling white mealy New York Rural Potatoes at 65c per bushel. They cannot last much longer, Do not confound these with the western stock, which is being sold at the same price. These potatoes are smooth; hence very little waste. I will sell you a peck at 18c.

Best Onions at $1.10 per bushel, 8c quarter peck.

Sweet Potatoes, $2.75 per barrel.

King Apples	35c per peck
None Such	35c " "
Northern Spy	35c " "
Baldwins	22c " "
Balkwins	30c " "
Greenings, fancy	30c " "
Gravensteins	30c " "
Pears at	35c per peck

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In Gold from $6.00 to $25.00
Plate and Gold Filled from $1.50 to $ 6.00
Also numerous other articles suitable for Wedding, Birthday or Holiday Gifts.

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J. C. MILBURN.

Twelve mats very fine OLD JAVA COFFEE just received by
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Extra finish NEW CROP GUNPOWDER TEA just received by J. C. MILBURN.

A LARGE STOCK OF TOILET and LAUNDRY SOAPS, for sale by
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CAPITAL - - - - - $100,000.
Deposits received, subject to check. Bonds purchased. Negotiable papers discounted.
Special department for ladies. Safe Deposit Boxes in Burglar and Fire-proof Vault.
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All kinds of investment securities a specialty
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MEETINGS.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the LINCOLN HALL ASSOCIATION for the election of directors and for the transaction of any other business that may be properly brought before the same, will be held at the office of the association, No. 111 S. Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., at 3:30 p. m. on TUESDAY, December 13, 1904. Books for the transfer of stock will be closed from November 28 to December 13, 1904, both dates inclusive.

JOHN S. SWORMSTEDT, President.
GEO. R. REPETTI, Secretary
nov29 td

The Annual meeting of the Stockholders of the HOME SAVINGS BANK of Washington, D. C., will be held at the Hotel Fleischmann, in the City of Alexandria, Va., on TUESDAY, the 13th day of December, 1904, at 2:30 p. m.

ALEX. S. CLARKE, Secretary.
dec8 3t.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the POTOMAC SAVINGS BANK, of Georgetown, D. C., for the purpose of electing the board of directors for the ensuing year, will be held at the principal office of the said company, No 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on TUESDAY, December 13, 1904, at 3 p. m.

Signed: I. E. SHOEMAKER,
dec9 td Secretary.

A CALLED MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the ALEXANDRIA INSURANCE COMPANY will be held at the company's office, No. 125 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on THURSDAY, December 22, 1904, at 11 o'clock a. m

LAURENCE STABLER, Secretary.
dec7 td

NOTICE.

Alexandria, Va., Dec. 6, 1904.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the CHARLOTTESVILLE AND RAPIDAN RAILROAD COMPANY will be held at No. 212 King street, Alexandria, Virginia, on WEDNESDAY, December 21, 1904, at ten o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing directors and transactin such other business as may come before the meeting.

R. D. LANKFORD, Secretary.
de6 td

NOTICE.—THE ANNUAL MEETING OF the stockholders of the GRAND OPERA HOUSE COMPANY will be held on MONDAY, January 2, 1905, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., at 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va.

HENRY F. WOODARD, Secretary.
dec8 eotd

CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK,
Alexandria, Va., Dec. 9, 1904.

The ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of this bank for the election of directors for the ensuing year will be held at the banking house on TUESDAY, January 10, 1905, between the hours of 11 to 12 m.

W. F. LAMBERT, Cashier.
dec9 wtd

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK.
Alexandria, Va., Dec. 10, 1904.

The annual election for directors of this bank will be held at the banking house on TUESDAY, January 10, 1905, between the hours of twelve and one o'clock.

de10 w3w C. R. HOOFF, President.

ALEXANDRIA NATIONAL BANK.
Alexandria, Va., Dec. 10, 1904.

The annual election for directors of this bank will be held at the banking house on TUESDAY, January 10, 1905

de10 w3w T. C. SMITH, Cashier.

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Huyler's Candies a specialty.
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SILVER SHOEHORNS AND SHOEBUTTONERS, 25c, at WILDT'S.

RAILROADS

Washington, Alexandria & Mt. Vernon Railway.

In effect November 1, 1904.

LEAVE ALEXANDRIA.

For Washington, from corner Prince and Royal streets, week days: at 5 45, 6 15, 6 30, 6 45, 7 05, 7 15, 7 30, 7 45, 8 00, 8 15, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 10 50, 11 20 and 11 42 a. m., 12 20, 12 46, 1 00, 1 20, 1 46, 2 10, 2 46, 3 05, 3 30, 3 46, 4 15, 4 36, 4 55, 5 25, 5 45, 6 05, 6 30, 6 55, 7 15, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m.

Sundays—7 00, 8 15, 9 00, 9 45, 10 25, 10 50, 11 20 and 11 50 a. m., 12 20, 12 50, 1 20, 1 50, 2 20, 2 50, 3 20, 3 50, 4 20, 4 50, 5 25, 5 50, 6 20, 6 50, 7 20, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 p. m.

LEAVE WASHINGTON.

For Alexandria, from the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and 13½ street, week days, 6 20, 6 50, 7 05, 7 20, 7 40, 7 50, 8 20, 8 35, 9 05, 9 35, 10 00, 10 25, 11 00, 11 30 a. m. 12 00 noon, 12 20, 12 40, 1 05 (express), 1 25, 1 55, 2 02 (express), 2 30, 2 55, 3 30, 4 00, 4 15, 4 40, 4 50, 5 05, 5 15, 5 30, 5 55, 6 05, 6 30, 6 55, 7 10, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10, 11 50 and 12 30 p. m.

Sundays—7 40, 9 00, 9 45, 10 25, 11 00, 11 30 a. m. 12 00 noon, 12 30, 1 00, 1 30, 2 00, 2 30, 3 00, 3 30, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, 5 30, 6 00, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 7 55, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m

FOR MOUNT VERNON.

Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days, 6 52, 8 22, 10 22, 11 32 a. m. 12 32, 1 37, 3 32, 3 22, 4 47, 5 30, 7 05 and 9 02 p. m.

Sundays—7 02, 9 33, 10 55 a. m., 12 44, 2 32 4 47, 6 40 and 9 02 p. m.

FOR ARLINGTON.

Leave Alexandria 7 05, 7 45, 8 30, 9 00, 10 00, 10 25, 10 50, 11 20, 11 42 a. m., 12 20, 12 46, 1 00, 1 46, 2 10, 2 46, 3 05, 3 46, 4 36, 5 25, 5 45, 6 30, 6 55, 7 50 p. m

Sundays—8 15, 9 00, 9 45, 10 25, 10 50, 11 20, 11 50 a. m., 12 20, 12 50, 1 20, 1 50, 2 20, 2 50, 3 20, 3 50, 4 20, 4 50, 5 20, 5 50, 6 20, 6 50, 7 20 and 7 50 p. m.

FOR ROSSLYN

Leave Alexandria for Rosslyn, week days 7 05, 7 45, 8 30, 9 00, 10 00, 10 50, 11 42 a. m. 12 46, 1 00, 2 46, 3 46, 4 36, 5 25, 5 45, 6 30, 6 55 and 7 50 p. m.

Sundays—8 15, 9 00, 9 45, 10 50, 11 50 a. m. 12 50, 1 50, 2 50, 3 50, 4 50, 5 50, 6 50 and 7 50 p. m.

Baggage checked and carried on the following trains from Alexandria for Washington week days: 8 30 and 10 25 a. m., 1 00, 3 05 and 6 05 p. m.

Sundays—8 15 a. m and 6 20 p. m.

Parcels carried.

Freight carried daily, morning and evening, in each direction. No freight accepted unless delivered at the station at least 30 minutes before the departure of the freight trains

CLARENCE F. KING, President. J. COLVIN, Superintendent

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

Schedule effective December 4, 1904.

Trains leave Southern Railway Station, Alexandria:

7:55 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg Warrenton, Danville and way stations.

11:08 A. M.—Washington and Florida lim